

UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(DIVISIONAL)

(New Nonprovisional Applications Under 37 CFR § 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.

50277-2504

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is the patent application of () application identifier or (X) first named inventor, **BENOIT DAGEVILLE, et al.**, entitled **MANAGING PARALLEL EXECUTION OF WORK GRANULES ACCORDING TO THEIR AFFINITY**, for a(n):

() Original Patent Application.

(X) Continuing Application (prior application not abandoned):

() Continuation (X) Divisional () Continuation-in-part (CIP)

of prior application No: 09/415,031 Filed on: October 7, 1999.

(X) A statement claiming priority under 35 USC § 120 has been added to the specification.

Enclosed are:

(X) Specification 28 Total Pages; (X) Drawing(s) 9 Total Sheets; (X) Cover Sheet 1 Page.

(X) Oath or Declaration: 4 Pages

() A Newly Executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney:

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() Unsigned.

() Partially Signed.

(X) A Copy from a Prior Application for Continuation/Divisional (37 CFR § 1.63(d)).

(X) Incorporation by Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated herein by reference in its entirety for all purposes.

() Signed Statement Deleting Inventor(s) Named in the Prior Application. (37 CFR § 163(d)(2)).

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() Preliminary Amendment.

() Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449.

() Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

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() A Certified Copy of Priority Documents (if foreign priority is claimed).

() Applicant(s) is entitled to small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

() Statement(s) of Status as a Small Entity Filed in Prior Application, Status Still Proper and Desired.

() Other: _____

CLAIMS AS FILED

FOR	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	10	0	\$18.00	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	1	0	\$86.00	\$ 0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (if applicable)				\$0.00
Assignment Recording Fee				\$0.00
Basic Filing Fee				\$770.00
Total Filing Fee				\$ 770.00

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First Named Inventor	BENOIT DAGEVILLE
Examiner Name	Not yet available
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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fee Code	Large Entity Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee Code	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2010	2255	1005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee	
1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
Other fee (specify) _____					
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SUBTOTAL (3)					(\$) 0.00

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1. BASIC FILING FEE

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1001	770	2001	385	Utility filing fee	770.00
1002	340	2002	170	Design filing fee	
1003	530	2003	265	Plant filing fee	
1004	770	2004	385	Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)					(\$) 770.00

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

		Highest Paid Claims		Extra Claims		Fee from Below		Fee Paid
Total Claims	10	-20 =		0	X	18.00	=	0.00
Independent Claims	1	-3 =		0	X	86.00	=	0.00
Multiple Dependent							=	
<i>**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below</i>								
Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description				
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)					
1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20				
1201	86	2201	43	Independent claims in excess of 3				
1203	290	2203	145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid				
1204	86	2204	43	**Reissue independent claims over original patent				
1205	18	2205	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent				

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